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July 17, 2000

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RE: Northrop Grumman Site, Naval Weapons Industrial Research Plant (NWIRP)-Bethpage, Grumman Steel Los Site, Nassau County Sites No. 1-30-003A, B&C.

Dear Mr. Colter & Mr. Cofman:

Enclosed with this letter is a copy of the Northrop Grumman, Naval Weapons Industrial Reserve Plant (NWIRP) Bethpage and the Grumman Steel Los Sites Operable Unit 2 Groundwater Remedy Proposed Remedial Action Plan (OU2). This is the final draft of the PRAP and because of your involvement with this site, the Department is forwarding you this copy as a courtesy. The Department has not yet released this to the public and is requesting that Northrop Grumman and/or the Navy not release the PRAP prior the Department's public release.

If you have any questions prior our 11:30 a.m. meeting scheduled for July 26, 2000 at the NYSDEC Region 1 Headquarters in Stony Brook, New York, please contact me at (518)457-3395.

Sincerely.

Steven M. Scharf, P.E.

Project Engineer

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Enclosure

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